

To provide for a pilot program to enhance military recruiting through the use of recently retired enlisted personnel as recruiters.

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Mr. HEFLEY (for himself and Mr. MCINNIS) introduced the following bill;
which was referred to the Committee on Armed Services

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1 *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-*
2 *tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,*

3 SECTION 1. SHORT TITLE.

4 This Act may be cited as the “Military Recruiting
5 Enhancement Act of 2000”.

6 SEC. 2. PILOT PROGRAM TO ENHANCE MILITARY RECRUIT-
7 ING.

8 (a) PILOT PROGRAM.—The Secretary of the Air
9 Force shall carry out during fiscal years 2002 and 2003
10 a pilot program to determine the effectiveness of using as

1 military recruiters recently retired enlisted members of the
2 Air Force who volunteer to be recalled to active duty to
3 serve for that purpose and who are determined appro-
4 priate for that purpose by the Secretary.

5 (b) SCOPE OF PROGRAM.—Not more than 200 retired
6 members of the Air Force may be recalled to active duty
7 for purposes of the pilot program at any time. The period
8 of a recall to active duty under the pilot program may
9 not exceed two years or extend beyond September 30,
10 2004.

11 (c) REPORT TO CONGRESS.—Not later than 180 days
12 after the end of the pilot program, the Secretary of the
13 Air Force shall submit to the Committee on Armed Serv-
14 ices of the Senate and the Committee on Armed Services
15 of the House of Representatives a report on the pilot pro-
16 gram. The report shall—

17 (1) describe the experience under the pilot pro-
18 gram;

19 (2) set forth the Secretary's assessment of (A)
20 the efficacy of the program for military recruiting,
21 and (B) the effect of the program on career patterns
22 for junior active-duty enlisted personnel who, but for
23 the pilot program, would have been assigned to mili-
24 tary recruiting duty; and

- 1 (3) include the Secretary's recommendations as
- 2 to continuation or expansion of the program.

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